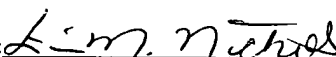


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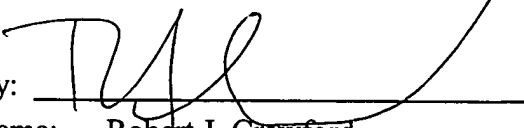
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 41.37(e), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to file the attached Appeal Brief. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0996 (STFD.076CIP) in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the extension fee for a small entity. Authority is given to charge/credit necessary fees/overages to deposit account number 50-0996 (STFD.076CIP) as required by this filing.

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